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Please provide a detailed statement of the search topic, and describe as specifically as possible the subject matter to be searched. Include the elected species or structures, keywords, synonyms, acronyms, and registry numbers, and combine with the concept or utility of the invention. Define any terms that may have a special meaning. Give examples or relevant citations, authors, etc, if known. Please attach a copy of the cover sheet, pertinent claims, and abstract.

Title of Invention: Portable pathogen detection system

Inventors (please provide full names): Billy W. Colston; Matthew G. Everett; Fred P. Milanovich; Steve B. Brown; Kodumudi Venkateswaram; Jonathan N. Simon

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Mrs. O'Brien,

I'm searching for microbeads use in detecting pathogen such as viruses, or microbes. The assay system of interest is fluoro-immunoassay, but prefer "Liquid Array". Please perform the following type of searches:

- 1) Inventors search
- 2) Claim 10 using claim 1 (independent claim, which is a method of use) and claims 11-12 (dependent claims) as an aid. (All of which are attached)

Also attached are the Abstract & Fig. 7-9.

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